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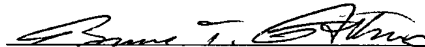
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I certify that the attached **Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Non-Provisional Application of Gregory Owen Miller, Christopher Raymond Geisen and Wenfeng Lu for METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR SECURING A DISHWASHER DOOR** (Attorney Docket No. 9D-DW-19324-CIP) including:

- Response To Notice To File Missing Parts (1 pg.)(in duplicate), with copy of Notice
- Declaration and Power of Attorney of Gregory Owen Miller and Christopher Raymond Geisen (2 pg.)
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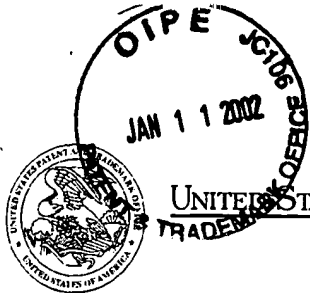
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application dated November 15, 2001, enclosed are the Declarations and Powers of Attorney of Applicants; together with a copy of the Notice.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the surcharge of \$130.00 to Deposit Account Number 01-2384. A duplicate copy of this Response is enclosed for that purpose.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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